

# HEAVY RAIN™



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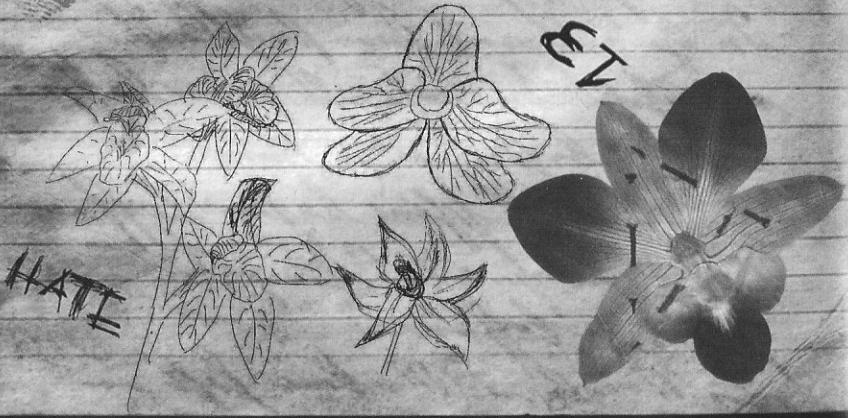
In a city on the east coast of the USA, sons are mysteriously going missing, only to be found several days later, drowned in rain water, with an origami figure in one of their lifeless hands. The public is gripped by fear and paranoia. The authorities seem no closer to a credible suspect.

But it's OK. Your family are all safely tucked up at home.

But what if they weren't?

What would you do?

How far would you be prepared to go to save someone you love?



## SETTING UP

Set up the PlayStation®3 system according to the instructions in its instruction manual. At start-up, the power indicator light will glow red to indicate that the PlayStation®3 system is in Standby Mode. Press the power button and the power indicator light will turn green.

Insert the Heavy Rain™ disc into the disc slot with the label side facing upwards. Select the icon from the XMB™ Menu and press the button to continue. Make sure there is enough free space on the Hard Disk Drive (HDD) before commencing play. Do not insert or remove peripherals once the power is turned on. Please refer to the PlayStation®3 system's instruction manual for further details about setting up and recharging a Wireless Controller.

The information in this manual was correct at the time of going to print, but some minor changes may have been made late in the product's development. All screenshots for this manual have been taken from the English version of this product.

## USING MENU SCREENS

Press the or directional buttons to highlight an option, then press the button to confirm. To return to the previous menu screen, press the button.

## DIRECTIONAL BUTTONS - MOVEMENT

In this manual, **↑**, **↓**, **←**, **→** etc. are used to denote the direction of the directional buttons and the left stick unless stated otherwise.

## CONTROLS

<b>L1</b> button	Switch camera
<b>L2</b> button	See character's thoughts
<b>START</b> button	Pause
<b>R1</b> button	Use ARI (Added Reality Interface) as Jayden when applicable
<b>R2</b> button	Walk
left stick	Move head/character
right stick	Interact
<b>SELECT</b> button	Interface help

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Press the **X** button, **O** button, **□** button or **△** button on the Wireless Controller as indicated on-screen to complete context sensitive actions. Some context sensitive actions require the use of motion sensitive controls - physically moving the Wireless Controller in certain directions, for example up and down or from side to side. Follow the on-screen prompts to use motion sensitive controls when necessary.

Further information on context sensitive actions can be found elsewhere in this manual.

## THE GAME SCREEN



## GETTING STARTED

Your first task is to familiarise yourself with the controls by carrying out some simple chores. Follow the on-screen prompts to enjoy a leisurely morning at home as Ethan Mars completes some work and prepares for his young son Jason's birthday party.

As the tutorial prologue sequence is completed and the story begins to gather pace, in the blink of an eye, Ethan's life will be changed forever and the opening credits sequence will roll.

Note: Press the  button during the prologue sequence to pause the game and open the Pause Menu. Choose Back to Main Menu if you want to access the Main Menu during the prologue.

## PLAYING HEAVY RAIN™

In Heavy Rain™ you have complete control of proceedings - your decisions genuinely affect the outcome of the storyline, which can take a multitude of directions.

Will the Origami Killer be caught? Will the latest victim be saved? The answers to these and many more questions depend entirely on your choices and reactions as events unfold.

## MOVING AROUND

Press and hold the **R2** button to walk. Use the left stick to move the character's head and 'steer' them as they move around the environment.

## DIALOGUE

When your character approaches certain people, potential dialogue topics will be displayed on-screen. Press the button that corresponds to a particular dialogue topic and your character will begin to talk. Follow the same process to choose an answer when someone asks a question.

## THOUGHTS

Press and hold the **L2** button to see any of the character's thoughts currently available. Press the button that corresponds to a particular topic to hear what the character thinks about it. As they analyse their situation, their feelings and memories could help you form your own decisions.

## ACTIONS

Many actions are context sensitive and need to be performed precisely, at particular points during the game. Specific movements often mimic the movement your character will need to make on-screen - to open a window, you might need to push the right stick , to shake a carton of juice you may need to move the Wireless Controller vigorously up and down.

Common types of actions include:



Perform the indicated movement with the right stick



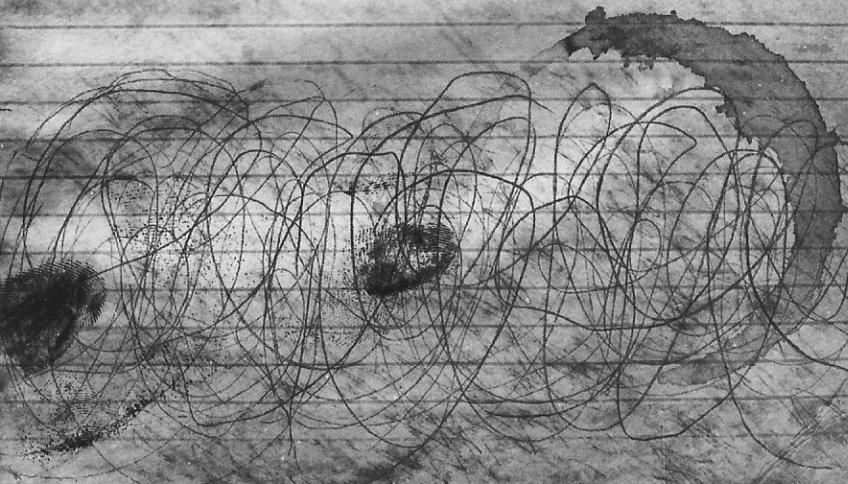
Delicately perform the indicated movement with the right stick



Move the Wireless Controller quickly in the indicated direction



Press the indicated button until it disappears



Press and hold the indicated buttons simultaneously in sequence until they disappear



Press the indicated button as soon as it appears

HINT: If you feel like you are struggling to complete context sensitive actions, press the <sup>START</sup> button to pause the game and adjust the Difficulty Setting.

## INTERACTING WITH OBJECTS

At any one time, your character will be able to interact with many objects around them; some may seem inconsequential, but others may hold the key to important discoveries. Approach and interact with objects as you see fit - if you think that turning on the lights is important, go and flick the switch; if you don't want to, you don't have to. When a character is within reach of an object they can interact with, an icon will be displayed on-screen.

## SPLIT SCREEN INCIDENTS

On occasion, the screen may become split into two or more windows, allowing you to keep control of your character, while also seeing what is happening in another location or viewing the action from an alternative perspective.

## MAIN MENU

- New Story      Start the Heavy Rain™ story from the beginning.
- Continue        Select a previously saved Heavy Rain™ file to return to that point in the story.
- Chapters       View the story chapters completed so far and return to particular points in the story to play through them again, creating an alternative save file if desired.
- Options        View and adjust various settings.
- Extra           View unlocked bonus features and any Trophies you've collected, plus access PlayStation Store to check for new Heavy Rain™ content.

## PAUSE MENU

Press the  button during the game to access the Pause Menu, then adjust options including Language, Difficulty Setting, Controls, Sound and Gamma Tuning.

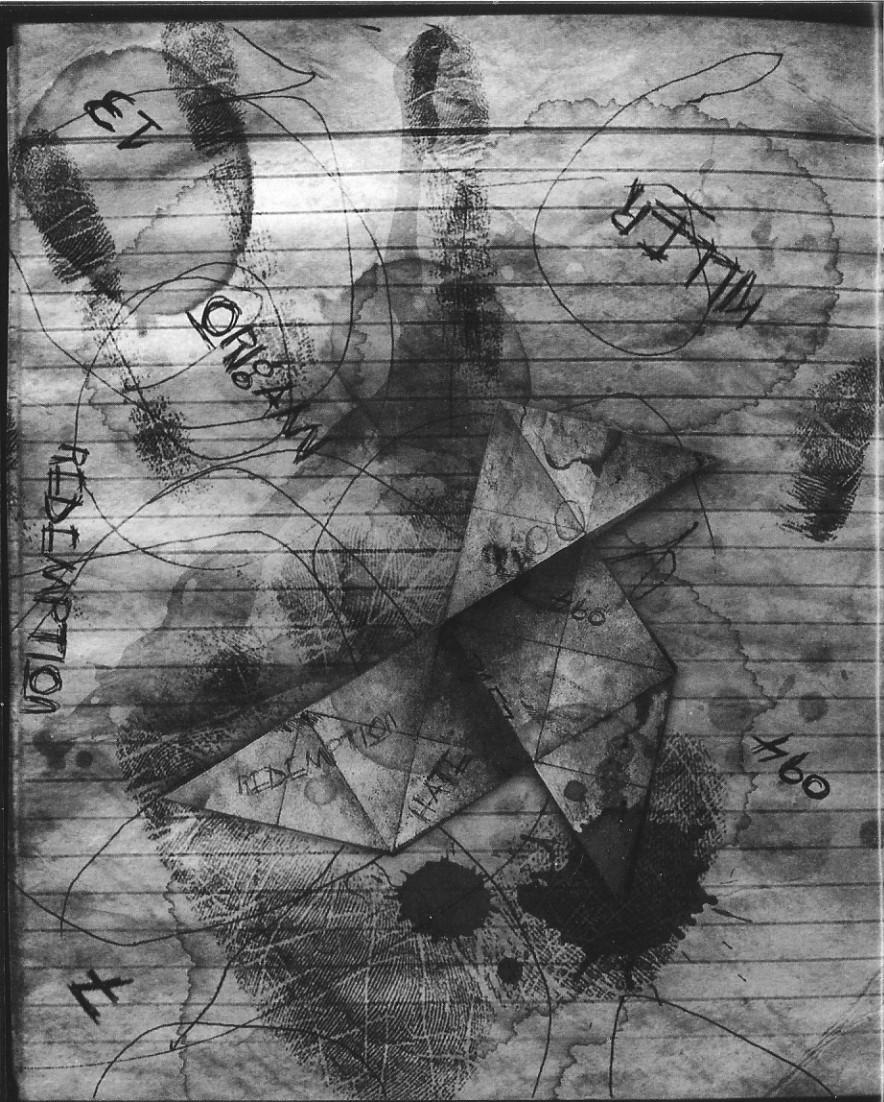
## ARI A REALITY?

You've seen them in the movies, but top snoopers at rumourtech.com have got their hands on compelling evidence that ARI (Added Reality Interface) systems are actually already out there and in use by the FBI.

In a leaked document - which seems to be instructions for an ARI system comprised of a pair of state-of-the-art glasses and a glove - usage of the technology enables instant crime scene analysis and clue examination through video memo recording, retinal scanning and DNA breakdowns.

According to the instructions, 'the user puts on the glasses and glove when the action icon is displayed', then is able to scan for clues in their immediate vicinity by 'pressing the  button'. Anything of interest will be highlighted, facilitating closer investigation.

Other functions of the ARI system are rumoured to include the 'Virtual office', a location - tailored to the user's own preferences - where detailed information can be stored, checked and cross-referenced at the wave of a hand.



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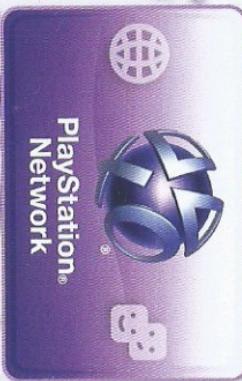
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